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Please amend the section beginning at page 5, line 13 in the section entitled "Related Applications" as follows:

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02453.0027.NPUS00 10/814,728	P124	SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PACKET PROCESSOR STATUS MONITORING	March 30, 2004
02453.0028.NPUS00 10/814,545	P126	METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR INCREMENTALLY UPDATING A CHECKSUM IN A NETWORK DATA PACKET	March 30, 2004
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